

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to correct minor typographical errors, and to provide for the submission of the sequence listing in paper and computer-readable format on three compact discs (CD-Rs) to facilitate the Examiner's review of the sequence listing. The drawing of Figure 2A has been amended to correct a typographical error in the amino acid of the sequence listing.

Applicants also certify that the file on each of the CD-Rs submitted herewith was opened and was readable using a Dell OptiPlex GX110 personal computer running Viewer software designated "V", version 2000 (SR3), copyright 1996-2000 Charles Prineas.

No new matter has been added by way of this amendment.


Conclusion

Entry and consideration of the above amendments is respectfully requested.

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Respectfully submitted,

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